

City of San Marcos

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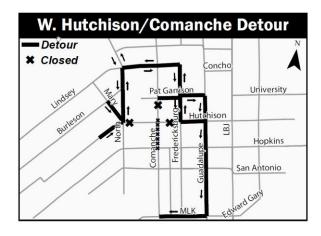
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Traffic Update

Projects affecting San Marcos traffic for week of October 10 - 16, 2010 Online: sanmarcostx.gov/traffic



WEST **HUTCHISON STREET COMANCHE**: intersection will be closed until October 23 due to water line installation. Traffic will be detoured to North Street, Lindsey Street, North Comanche Street. Pat Garrison Street. North Fredericksburg Street, West Hutchison Street and North Guadalupe Street. Construction is part of the Comanche 12-inch Water Line Project. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

COMANCHE STREET: water line construction continues on Comanche between West Martin Luther King Drive and Hutchison Street with lane and intersection closures on Hopkins. Traffic will be detoured to West Hopkins Street, South Guadalupe Street, West Martin Luther King Drive, North Street, Harvey Street, Nance Street and West San Antonio Street. Construction on this project will continue into November as utility conflicts have delayed completion. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

RAILROAD CROSSING CLOSURES: to rework and level the approaches at each set of tracks in both directions. The roads will be closed separately for the majority of each day, per scheduling with Union Pacific Railroad. Signs will be posted with the closure dates on each road. Hays County Road Department, 393.7385.

- MCCARTY LANE, 200 block; Tuesday, October 12 or Wednesday, October 13. Detour to Centerpoint Road or Wonder World Drive.
- **CENTERPOINT ROAD**, 200 block; Wednesday, October 13 into Thursday, October 14. Detour to Posey Road or East McCarty Lane.
- **POSEY ROAD,** 100 block; Thursday, October 14 into Friday, October 15. Detour to Centerpoint Road.

EAST SAN ANTONIO STREET: 100 block, will be closed between North LBJ Drive and South Guadalupe Street due to the Pink Heals Campaign on Friday, October 15 from 7:00 a.m. – 10 am. Four pink fire trucks will be parked on the street. SMPD, 753.2119.

SOUTH LBJ DRIVE: 200 – 300 block the northbound right hand lane will be closed for utility work. Estimated completion date is late October. Please be aware of construction workers and heavy equipment in the area. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

EBONY STREET & PARKER DRIVE intersection will be closed until the end of October. Motorists will be detoured to Hwy 123, Hays Street, Parker Drive, Broadway Street, Oakdale Drive, Patricia Drive and Ebony Street. The drainage improvement project consists of construction on Ebony Street and the 100 - 400 block of Parker Drive to install a concrete drainage channel and pipe system. Construction will continue until January 2011. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE is closed between Riviera and Cheatham Street until October 20. Motorists will be detoured to Cheatham Street and Hopkins Street. Haynes Street may be accessible periodically from Riverside. Construction is part of the Rio Vista Terrace Neighborhood Improvements. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

CHEATHAM STREET is open to traffic with utility construction continuing until further notice on Haynes Drive from Riverside Drive to Cheatham Street, and on Rio Vista Street and McKinnon from Haynes Drive to Cheatham Street to install storm sewer, water and wastewater services. Rio Vista Terrace Neighborhood Improvements. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

EAST MCCARTY LANE: both lanes will remain closed in each direction from IH 35 frontage road to Old Bastrop Highway until scheduled completion date of November 13. Local access for residents will remain but school, postal, emergency and other motorists will be detoured to Clovis R. Barker Road or Centerpoint Road. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

CRADDOCK AVENUE EXTENSION: construction from Bishop to Wonder World Drive continues through October. The intersection of Bishop and Craddock is open but future closure is anticipated for final overlay, milling and striping at the end of September. Please watch for heavy construction equipment at Wonder World Drive, Bishop Street and the Park Road at the end of Franklin. Access to Purgatory Park will be limited at the Craddock intersection. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

PURGATORY PARK ACCESS FROM FRANKLIN DRIVE will be closed through October. Park access should be available following the completion of the Craddock Avenue Extension. Persons interested in accessing the park will need to approach from Ranch Road 12 or Hunter Road down Wonder World Drive and turn south at the Craddock intersection. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

DOWNTOWN ADA IMPROVEMENTS: construction will take place on many of the handicap ramps throughout the downtown area. Lanes will be closed but the streets will remain open. Scheduled completion, late October. Capital Improvements, 393.8130.

SAN ANTONIO STREET, 100 block, half a block closed from alley to N. LBJ every Saturday from 8:30 a.m. – 3 p.m. until mid-October for the Farmer's Market on the Square. Main Street Program, 393.8430.

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